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Navy Professional Reading Program Strengthens Sailors

Sailors throughout the Navy can give their minds a proper workout by participating in the Navy Professional Reading Program.

The Navy Professional Reading Program, introduced in October by Chief of Naval Operations, Adm. Mike Mullen, was created to encourage independent reading, and contribute to education, personal and professional growth, and the stimulation of critical thinking.

Sailors will find books in five different categories, ranging from the junior enlisted collection to the senior leader's collection.

The program was also designed to deepen Sailors' appreciation of who they are and what they're part of, with a broader understanding of naval heritage. Sailors also develop better leadership, performance and decision-making skills through improved intellectual habits.

For more information about the Navy Professional Reading Program, visit

www.navyreading.navy.mil.

